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**NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY
STATUS (37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2))**

LOSS OF STATUS AS A SMALL ENTITY

1. Small entity status had been asserted in this matter.
2. The Patent and Trademark Office is hereby notified of the loss of entitlement to status as a small entity.
3. The Patent and Trademark Office is hereby notified that status as a small entity is no longer claimed.

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